Connecting the Social Solidarity Economy and Platform Cooperatives

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Re-imagine the Economy

WAGE LABOR
PRODUCING FOR
A MARKET
IN A CAPITALIST FIRM

IN SCHOOLS   ON THE STREET

in neighborhoods   WITHIN FAMILIES

UNPAID   gifts   in church / temple

the retired   BETWEEN FRIENDS

SELF-EMPLOYMENT   volunteer

BARTER   moonlighting

children   informal lending   ILLEGAL

NOT MONETIZED   NOT FOR MARKET

Self-Provisioning   UNDER-THE-TABLE

producer cooperatives

CONSUMER COOPERATIVES   noncapitalist firms

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- ## What is the Social and Solidarity Economy?

"For some theorists of the movement, it begins with a redefinition of economic space itself. The dominant neoclassical story paints the economy as a singular space in which market actors (firms or individuals) seek to maximize their gain in a context of scarce resources. These actors play out their profit-seeking dramas on a stage wholly defined by the dynamics of the market and the state. Countering this narrow approach, solidarity economics embraces a plural and cultural view of the economy as a complex space of social relationship in which individuals, communities, and organizations generate livelihoods through many different means and with many different motivations and aspirations-not just the maximization of individual gain. The economic activity validated by neoclassical economists represents, in this view, only a tiny fraction of human efforts to meet needs and fulfill desires."

- Ethan Miller (http://www.geo.coop/node/35)

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- What is the Social and Solidarity Economy?

"the social solidarity economy is based on human values and principles of solidarity that advocate the recognition of others as the foundation of human action and the source of the renovation of politics, economy and society. The social solidarity economy includes activities and organizations of associative, cooperative, and mutual nature created to respond to the need for jobs and the well-being of people, as well as those citizen movements geared toward democratizing and transforming the economy"

THE CHARTER OF RIPESS

http://www.ripess.eu/about-us/ripess-charter/

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- What is the Social and Solidarity Economy?

"worldwide, **cooperatives provide jobs for 100 million people**. According to data from the United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UN DESA), **globally there are 761,221** cooperatives and mutual associations with **813.5 million members, 6.9 million employees**, USD 18.8 trillion in assets and USD 2.4 trillion in annual gross revenue. The global certified fair trade market amounted to EUR 4.8 billion (USD 6.4 billion) in 2012 (excluding Fair Trade USA sales) and involved some 1.3 million workers and farmers in 70 countries."

http://www.solidarityeconomy.eu/en/

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- What is the Social and Solidarity Economy?

  7 Cooperative Principles

  1. Voluntary and Open Membership
  2. Democratic Member Control
  3. Member Economic Participation
  4. Autonomy and Independence
  5. Education, Training and Information
  6. Co-operation among Co-operatives
  7. Concern for Community

  https://ica.coop/en/whats-co-op/co-operative-identity-values-principles

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Filtre en cours

Termes : coop

Construction du filtre

Zone géographique

Zone couvrant un territoire (Pays, région, ville) :

coop

Rechercher un territoire

Géocodage effectué grâce à Nominatim

Coop, 132/134, Bäumlihofstrasse, Kleinbasel, Hirzbrunnen, Basel, Basel-City, 4058, Switzerland

Coop, 1, Turbenweg, Gümligen, Muri bei Bern, Verwaltungskreis Bern-Mittelland, Verwaltungsregion Bern-Mittelland, Bern, 3073, Switzerland
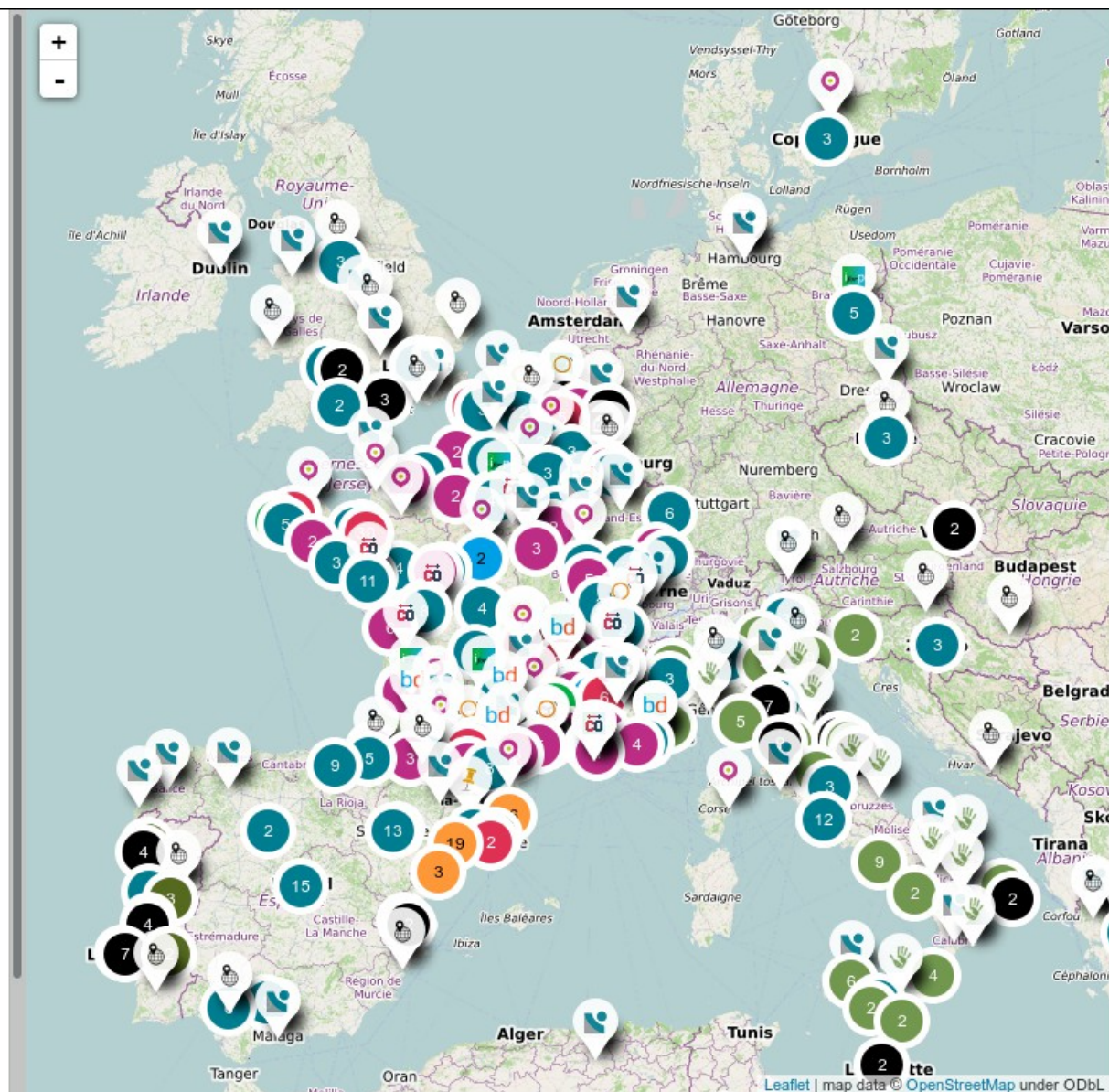
Cooperativa, Microrregião de Pindaré, Mesorregião Oeste Maranhense, Maranhão, Northeast Region, Brazil

La Cooperativa, Rosario, Sonora, Mexico

Canton Exaltación, Cooperativa, Provincia de Yacuma, BNI, Bolivia

Termes de recherche

Termes présents dans les méta-données (titre, mots-clés, etc.)

Bases

☑ ● ⊙ Près de chez nous (11632) [Site - GeoJSON]

☑ ● ᴄᴏ Communecter (8672) [Site - GeoJSON]

☑ ● 🏛 Bruxelles mode d'emploi (5155) [Site - GeoJSON]

☑ ● 🐦 Socioeco.org (3246) [Site - GeoJSON]

☑ ● bd BDIS (2701) [Site - GeoJSON]

☑ ● ⚘ TransformMap (1833) [Site - GeoJSON]

☑ ● ✋ Italia che... Cambia! (1678) [Site - GeoJSON]

☑ ● ip Imagination for people (1371) [Site - GeoJSON]

☑ ● ⚒ Netzwerk Reparatur-Initiativen (620) [Site - GeoJSON]

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☑ ● 🌍 OSM - Filtre TransformMap (271) [Site - GeoJSON]

☑ ● 🌍 Rede Convergir (199) [Site - GeoJSON]

☑ ● ⊙ OSM - Filtre Commerce équitable (195) [GeoJSON]

☑ ● ⊙ Semeoz (119) [Site - GeoJSON]

☑ ● AUT Autour du 1er mai (festivals) (113) [Site - GeoJSON]

☑ ● 🌍 Réseau Ritimo (79) [Site - GeoJSON]
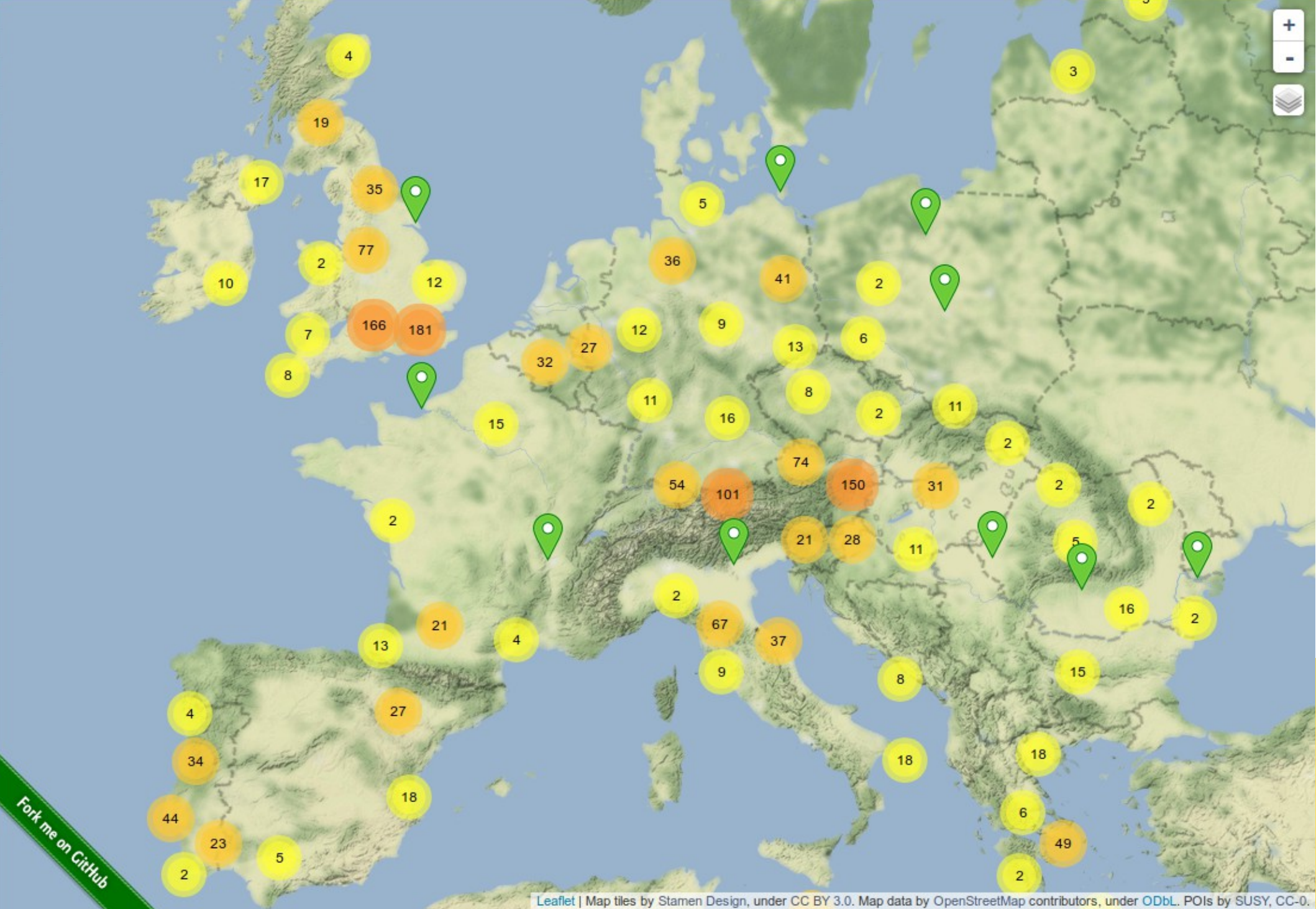
http://apps.socioeco.org/geosse/

Fork me on GitHub

https://viewer.transformap.co/#5/48.400/8.745

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- What is the Social and Solidarity Economy? (SSE)

Ireland has examples such as community development cooperatives that meet many of the criteria that we would identify with the Social and Solidarity Economy. While initiatives share values they do not necessarily use terms such as Solidarity Economy.

Terms such as 'Social Enterprise' are more commonly recognised and actively supported by government. It is a more general term and can include private and for profit entrepreneurial enterprise and these do not fit within the SSE.

Difference between Social Economy and Solidarity Economy

Social and Solidarity Economy places greater emphasis on democratic governance and collective community ownership and accountability as well as building supportive networks of initiatives.

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- Platform Cooperatives and Open Cooperatives
  - The principles of democratic self-management in the digital age.
  - Peer to Peer Collaboration
  - Knowledge Commons
  - Free Software, Creative Commons, Wikipedia
- Platform Coops and Open Coops are sister developments
  - Platform Coops place a strong emphasis on user/member/worker ownership.
  - Open Coops place an emphasis on producing knowledge commons and multi-stakeholder member models.
  - In practice there is significant crossover.

    http://commonstransition.org/open-cooperativism/

Cooperativa Integral Catalana

INICIATIVA EN TRANSICIÓ PER A LA TRANSFORMACIÓ SOCIAL DES DE BAIX, MITJANÇANT L'AUTOGESTIÓ, L'AUTOORGANITZACIÓ I EL TREBALL EN XARXA

Poble Rebel (Tràiler Oficial)

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Estrena Tràiler de Poble Rebel i Estrenes #SomPobleRebel

Friday, 4 de May, 2018 × 0 comments

#SomPobleRebel El 02/05/2018 va sortir el tràiler del nou documental sobre les lluites populars de les darreres dècades en aquest país. Documental que s'estrenarà aquest mateix mes de maig de 2018! Documental cuinat a foc lent des de l'autogestió. Combatiu, crític, desobedient i lliure de mordasses. 👏 Ens consta que [...]

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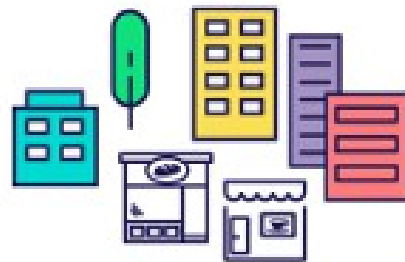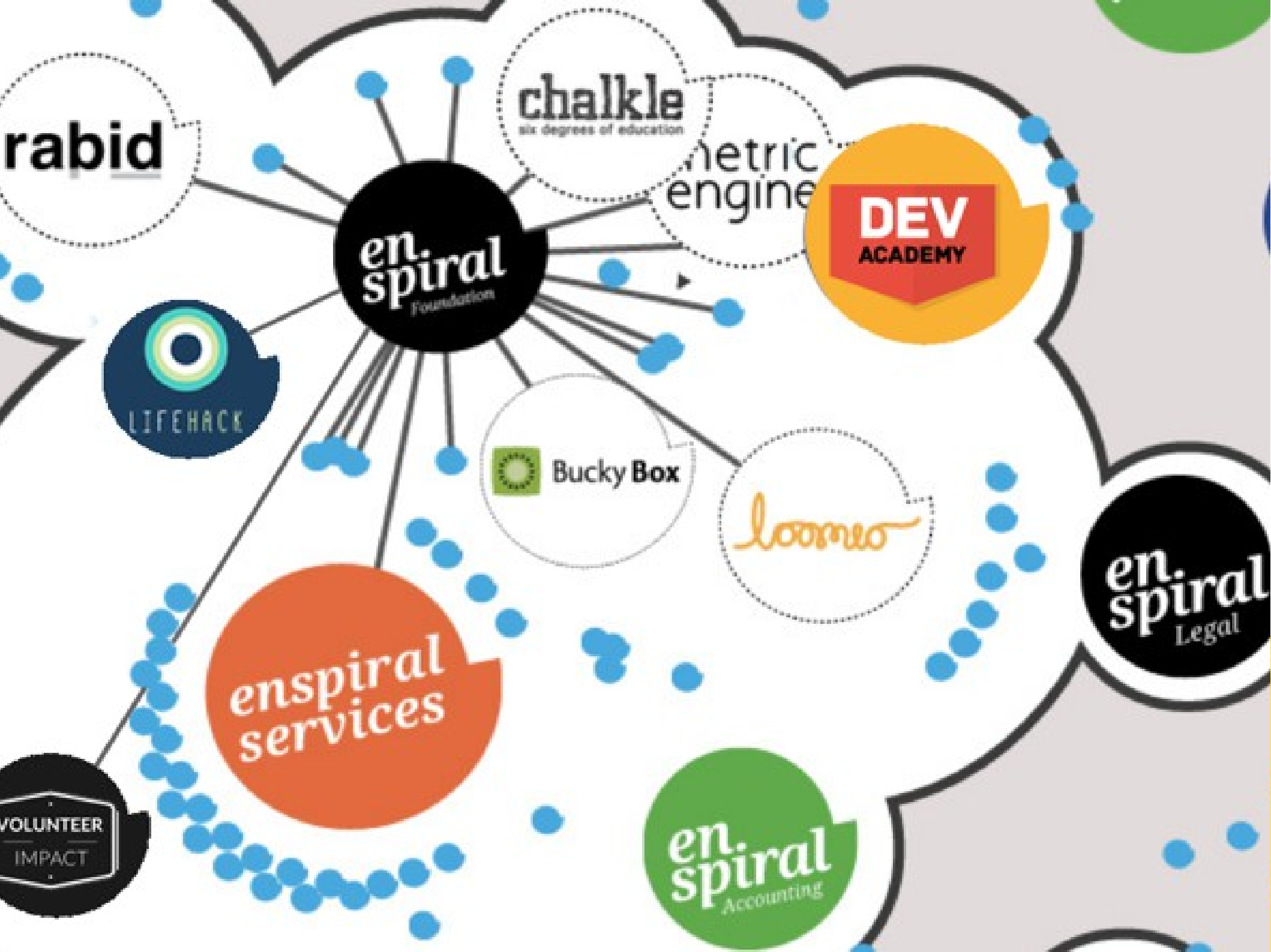
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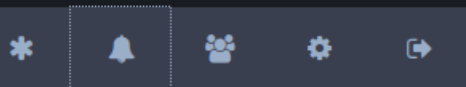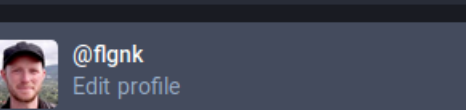
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TOOT!

🏠 Home   ⇄

Thomas Beckett 🎄 ❤ 🎄 @... now
My wife's paypal account was hacked: the attacker changed its email address & password and forwarded money to another account. Completely sidestepped paypal's 2fa security including the feature of requiring a login code sent by sms to log in.

↩ ⇄ ★ •••

Cathal Garvey @cathal   26m
Why is it so hard to find yogurt that is:
- Not low fat
- Not sweetened
- Not Organic
Goddamnit capitalism stop messing with food just gimme plain yogurt from cows that get medicine when they need it

↩ ⇄ ★ •••

Cathal Garvey @cathal   32m
@ej @Antanicus
It's worth adding at this point, now that I have invoked the Great Satan, that Mon's legal dept are jerks but most of what you've heard about Monsanto is also

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🌐 Federated timeline   ⇄

The GME™🙈🙉🙊 @gme@t... now
On the plus side I have become quite adept at removing these Nvidia Titan X Pascal GPUs.

On the minus side I am acutely aware that every time I remove them I can break them.

↩ ⇄ ★ •••

dtluna │ ✅ @dtluna@volunt... now
@d9867eb http://voluntaryist.com/non-voting/ethics-voting-george-h-smith/

↩ ⇄ ★ •••

Vicky Lai @vickylai@mastodo... now
I've discovered that the only thing harder than coming up with good code examples is coming up with bad ones. See: upcoming article. 😤

↩ ⇄ ★ •••

Fediverse Watch @fediverse... now
imaginair.es upgraded Mastodon from 2.4.0rc5 to 2.4.0: — https://fediverse.network/imaginair.es

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🔔 Notifications   ❮ Back

👤+ Oli Sylvester-Bradley followed y

Oli Sylvester-Bradley
@oli

👤+ cσѕмιc δємση ℓαυяєη™ 👽 followed you

cσѕмιc δємση ℓαυяєη™ 👽
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👤+ STAR Ambassador followed yo

STAR Ambassador
@Ambassador@mastodon.sta...

👤+ 🏴 Comrade Angles 🏴 follo you

🏴 **Comrade Angles** 🏴
@Angle@anticapitalist.party

👤+ laurelai followed you

laurelai
@laurelai@switter.at

👤+ iona followed you

iona
@iona

👤+ Laurelai Bailey followed you

Laurelai Bailey
@Laurelai@witches.town

CoopCycle

We socialize platforms

CoopCycle is a delivery platform for **worker-owned coops**
Organize, we provide the technology!

What is CoopCycle?   Test the demo

https://www.opendemocracy.net/neweconomics/resisting-gig-economy-emergence-cooperative-food-delivery-platforms/

http://www.focaalblog.com/2018/04/19/kevin-poperl-and-ida-susser-inventing-a-technological-commons-confronting-the-engine-of-macron/

- **Ethical and Sustainable Tourism**

  One host one house

  Legal Compliance

  Host/Member ownership and Democratic Participation

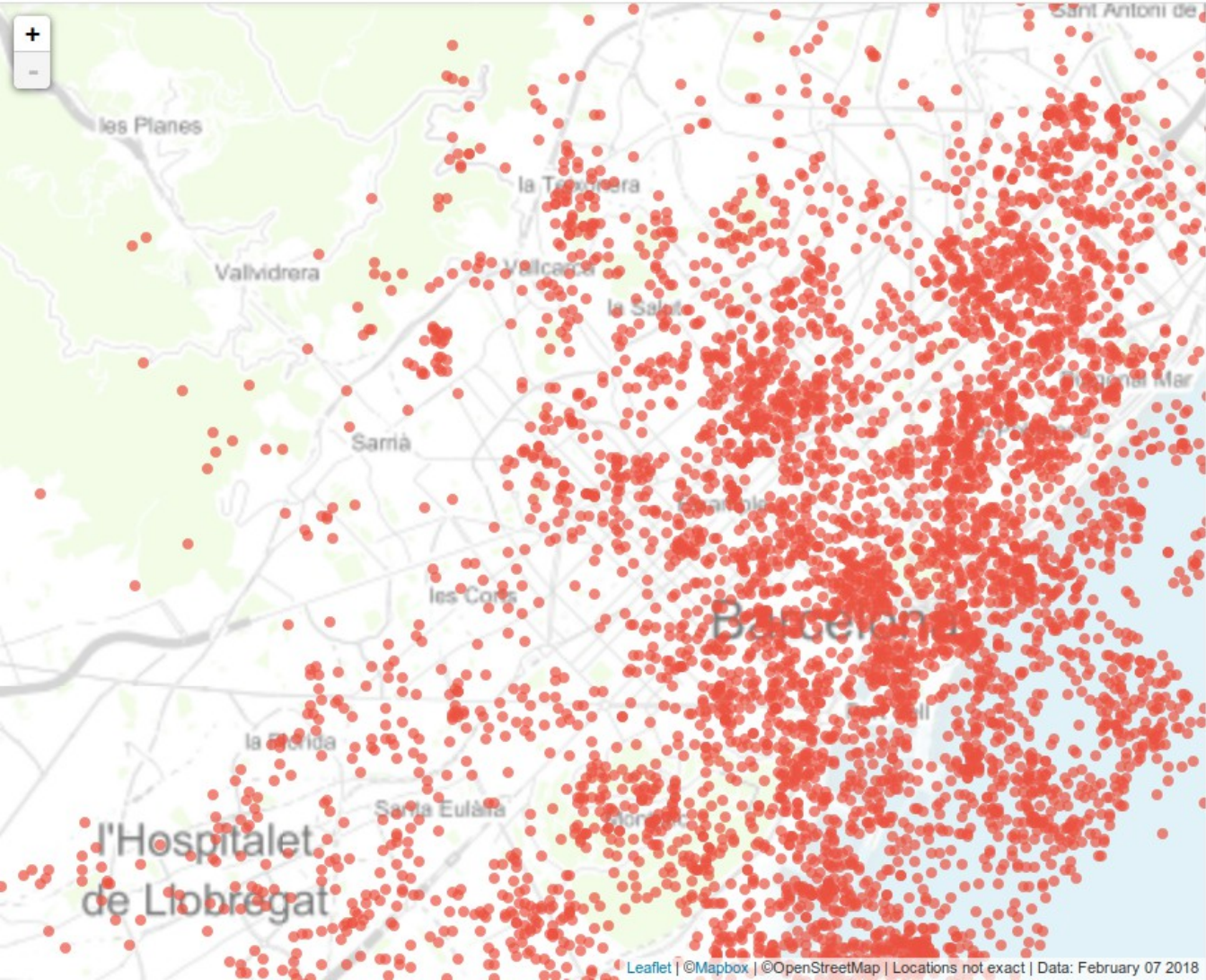 5% - 8% Platform Operating Costs

  10% To Support Community Projects

  150/50 – 750 per day = 3 projects 15,000 in 2 months

  2021 Goal - 5% Market Share = 200 Million for Community Projects Per Year

  Currently in the process being legally established in Italy

  https://fairbnb.coop/

Barcelona

Filter by:

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5,540
out of **18,531** listings (29.9%)

Host Name	#Listings	About Airbnb in Barcelona
Eva&Jacques	150	
Claudia	122	
Enrique	75	
Oscar And Diego	72	
Greg	71	
Sito	70	
Jordi	61	
Yaiza	55	
Weflating	54	
Ferran	53	
Barcelona Bedroom	50	
Barcelona Nextdoor	43	
My Space	42	
Enrique	42	
Pep	40	
Jaesse	39	
Luis	39	
Fisa Rentals	38	
Tendency	37	
Angel	36	

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- What do we need to build a supportive ecosystem for cooperative social innovation?
- Education / Mentorship – Young People / Community Groups / Local Enterprise Offices
- Learning from the experience of the cooperative sector in Ireland and fostering collaboration.
- Incubators for Cooperative Social Innovation
- Cooperative Co-working
- Legal Support
- Finance
  - Community Finance
  - Credit Unions
  - Pooled/Mutualised Insurance Schemes
  - Crowdfunding
  - Trade Union Partnerships
- Policy?
  - Anchor Institutions - Social Procurement
  - Public-Social Partnerships